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BDS4306: PROJECT INITIATION, PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION

SERIES: DECEMBER 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date Nov 2016

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of Choose No questions. Attempt Choose instruction.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question ONES

- (a) Explain the benefits of effectively managing stakeholders during project development. (6marks)
- (b) Explain the sources of project idea. (8Marks)
- (c) Explain the possible causes of project failures in most developing countries. (8Marks)
- (d) Projects require proper analysis to ensure acceptability by stakeholders. Given this fact, explain the common areas addressed in project feasibility study. (8Marks)

Question TWO

Planning is a complex and extensive process involving the whole life of a project. In light of this statement explain various planning steps in project management. (20Marks)

Question THREE

- (a) Preparing a 'project's log frame matrix' is said to be the first step in project planning. Identify and explain the main components of a log frame matrix. (10Marks)
- (b) Using relevant examples explain the common characteristics of a project objective. (10Marks)

Question FOUR

(a) Using relevant examples explain the difference between a project and a program. (10Marks)

(b) Project management motivates all those involved in project to achieve the objectives on time and to the specified cost, quality and performance. Explain the core components of project management. (10Marks)

Question FIVE

(a) Explain the roles and responsibilities of project stakeholders. (10Marks)

(b) Explain any four sources of risk in a project. (10mark)